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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant(s): Y. NAGAI, et al
Serial No.: 09/712,970
Filed: November 16, 2000
For: REPRODUCTION APPARATUS AND REPRODUCTION
METHOD OF DIGITAL VIDEO SIGNAL OR AUDIO SIGNAL
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Examiner: N. Rosen

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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the Decision dated May 15, 2003 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-14.

The items checked below are appropriate:

- A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
 Fee \$320.00 is enclosed not required (fee paid in prior appeal).

To the extent necessary, applicant(s) petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (500.37136CX1) and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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